Entrance to Colleges.

208. *Mr. A. N. Satyanesan: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the applicants for admission to the Junior Intermediate Classes of the following Colleges in the School years 1945—1946 and 1946—1947 and those who were actually admitted;

(1) University College, Trivandrum;
(2) Scott Christian College, Nagercoil;
(3) St. Berchman's College, Changanacherry;
(4) Women's College, Trivandrum;
(5) C. M. S. College, Kottayam; and
(6) Union Christian College, Alwaye?

Mr. H. C. Papworth: Statement showing the number of students who applied for admission and the number who were actually admitted to the Junior Intermediate Class in the various Colleges during the academic years 1945-46 and 1946-47.

Name of the College.	1945—46		1946—47	
	No. Applied.	No. Admitted.	No. Applied.	No. Admitted.
1. University College ...	587	307	910	481
2. College of Women ...	311	238	443	329
3. St. Berchman's College ..	543	415	852	476
4. Union Christian College...	*200	170	*1000	237
5. C. M. S. College ...	285	203	566	261
6. Scott Christian College ...	205	132	283	128

*The figures are only approximate.

Admission in the University College, Trivandrum.

209. *Mr. K. Shahul Hameed (*Trivandrum and Nedumangad* cum *Chirayinkil*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of students who applied for admission to the Intermediate course in the University College, Trivandrum, according to groups;

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(*b*) how many of them were admitted in each group ; and
(*c*) the basis of marks laid down for their admission ?

Mr. H. C. Papworth :

(*a*)	Group I	...	534
	Group II	...	276
	Group III	...	100
(*b*)	Group I	...	223
	Group II	...	109
	Group III	...	149

(*c*) The following are the minima of marks for admission to the Junior Intermediate Class in the University College.

English	...	40 % for all Groups.
Second Language	...	35 % do.
Mathematics	...	50 % for Group I
		40 % for Group II
Elementary Science	...	40 % for any combination including Science subjects.
History	...	40 % for Group III.

Mr. K. Sheikh Hameed : In the answer a minima of marks for admission is prescribed. May I know from the honourable member whether that minimum was reached before admission was closed ?

Mr. H. C. Papworth : No minimum in the number of candidates is given, it is the minima of marks for admission. These rules have been promulgated for two or three years.

Research students in the University.

210. * Mr. A. N. Satyanesan : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) to state the number of research students in the Travancore University at present ; and

(*b*) to lay on the table a statement showing their names, the respective lines of research in which they are engaged and the stipends they are receiving ?

Mr. H. C. Papworth : (*a*) 64.

(*b*) The statement is placed on the Secretary's table.

New College at Changanacherry.

211. * Paul A. Thalliath : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether they have given permission to any one to start a new College at Changanacherry ;

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